WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

SILVER SPRING, MARYLAND

ORDER NO. 16,633

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served October 21, 2016

LIFESTAR RESPONSE OF MARYLAND,) Case No. MP-2016-170 INC., Trading as LIFESTAR RESPONSE,) Suspension and Investigation of) Revocation of Certificate No. 310)

Commission Regulation No. 58 requires respondent to insure the revenue vehicles operated under Certificate No. 310 for a minimum of \$1.5 million in combined-single-limit liability coverage and maintain on file with the Commission at all times proof of coverage in the form of a WMATC Certificate of Insurance and Policy Endorsement (WMATC Insurance Endorsement) for each policy comprising the minimum.

On October 1, 2015, the \$1.5 million primary WMATC Insurance Endorsement on file for respondent expired without having been fully replaced by one or more WMATC Endorsements. WMATC had received a replacement endorsement on September 28, 2015, in the amount of \$1 million, but WMATC had received no endorsement(s) for the remaining \$500,000 in coverage required by Regulation No 58. This came to WMATC staff's attention on October 3, 2016, when the \$1 million endorsement filed September 28, 2015, expired without replacement on October 1, 2016. As a result, Certificate No. 310 was automatically suspended under Regulation No. 58-12, and a \$100 late insurance fee became due and payable under Regulation No. 67-03(c), as noted in Order No. 16,597, served October 3, 2016.

On October 6, 2016, respondent filed an acceptable replacement \$1 million primary WMATC Insurance Endorsement with an effective date of October 1, 2016. On October 20, 2016, respondent filed an acceptable \$500,000 excess WMATC Insurance Endorsement covering the period October 1, 2015 through October 1, 2016, and a second acceptable \$500,000 excess WMATC Insurance Endorsement with an effective date of October 1, 2016. Respondent also tendered a \$100 online credit card payment on October 20, 2016. Accordingly, the suspension is lifted in accordance with Regulation No. 58-13, and this investigation is terminated.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

Jeffrey M. Lehmann

Acting Executive Director